UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	_

WILLIAM GORDON, DIN # 95A0033, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

GEORGE ALEXANDER, CHAIRMAN OF THE NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF PAROLE, et al.,

Defendants.

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ORDER ON DEFENDANTS'
LETTER MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE ANSWER

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Upon consideration of the Defendants' Letter Motion for Extension of Time to File Answer, dated July 16, 2008,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. Defendants' Letter Motion for Extension of Time to File Answer is GRANTED.
- 2. The Clerk of Court is ordered to reset the deadline for Defendants' Answer from

July 21, 2008, to August 28, 2008.

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SHIRA A. SCHEINDLIN

United States District Judge

Dated:

New York, New York

<u>/</u>, 2008



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July 16, 2008

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Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin United States District Judge Southern District of New York Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Room 1620 New York, New York 10007-1312

Re:

William Gordon, et al. v. George Alexander, et al.

08-CV-05673 (SAS)

Dear Judge Scheindlin:

I am an Assistant Attorney General in the office of Andrew M. Cuomo, Attorney General of the State of New York, attorney for the defendants George Alexander, Chairman of the New York State Division of Parole, and the New York State Division of Parole. The defendants' deadline to respond to the above-referenced 42 U.S.C. § 1983 civil rights complaint is July 21, 2008, but their affidavits of service were only filed on July 11, 2008. Because I have only recently been assigned this case, and have yet to receive any of the records, I respectfully request a brief extension of time to respond to the complaint until August 28, 2008, to allow for our receipt of the records, and for discussion with our clients. I am attaching the proposed order for this extension.

This is my first request for an extension. I have contacted plaintiffs' counsel concerning this request, and he has consented to this extension. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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